

*Annual Report*  
**C A M P T O N**  
*New Hampshire*

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YEAR ENDING  
***January 31, 1940***



ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE  
OFFICERS  
OF THE  
Town of Campton, N. H.

YEAR ENDING  
January 31, 1940

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1940



## **TOWN OFFICERS**

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**Moderator**—Lester E. Mitchell

**Representative**—Bertram W. Pulsifer

**Town Clerk**—Lyone E. Stuart

**Selectmen**—John M. Pulsifer, Webb Little, William B. Avery

**Treasurer**—Willard C. Pulsifer,\* Fred E. Pulsifer, appointed

**Tax Collector**—Paul S. Durgin

**Road Agents**—Russell W. Palmer, Joseph Hodgson

**Supervisors of Check List**—Roland J. Dole, A. F. Downing, Charles V. Ouellet

**Overseer of Poor**—Edwin L. Heal

**Superintendent of Cemeteries**—Edward H. Cook

**Sexton**—Fred G. Hill

**Health Officer**—George K. Thompson

**Trustees of Trust Funds**—William B. Avery, S. P. Robie, Ellis S. Freethey

**Police**—George K. Thompson, Edwin L. Heal, L. E. Evans

**Auditors**—Ellis S. Freethey, Roland J. Dole

**Library Trustees**—Daisy M. Stickney, Lyone E. Stuart, Laura E. Pulsifer

\* Deceased

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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To the Inhabitants of the Town of Campton in the County of Grafton in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall in said Campton on Tuesday, the twelfth day of March, next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
3. To bring in your ballots for Delegates to the National Conventions.
4. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of its highways and bridges.
5. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes.
6. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Campton Cemetery, also to clean up and fence other cemeteries in town.
7. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Memorial Day.
8. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the White Mountain Region Association.
9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$400 for White Pine Blister Rust Control.
10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money to pay for the lease of land for government sawmill site and sawed lumber storage.

11. To see if the town will vote to purchase a safe for the town clerk's office and to raise and appropriate money for the same.

12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money to buy furnishings for the Campton room in Memorial Hospital.

13. To see if the town will vote to accept the reports of Agents and Officers heretofore chosen.

14. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this seventeenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty.

JOHN M. PULSIFER,  
WEBB LITTLE,  
W. B. AVERY,

Selectmen of Campton.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

JOHN M. PULSIFER,  
WEBB LITTLE,  
W. B. AVERY,

Selectmen of Campton.

## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF CAMPTON, N. H.

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Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the  
Ensuing Year February 1, 1940 to January 31, 1941,  
Compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of  
the Previous Year February 1, 1939 to January 31,  
1940.

### Sources of Revenue

	Actual	Estimated
<b>From State</b>		
Interest and dividend tax	\$ 230.00	\$ 225.00
Insurance	2.81	2.81
Railroad tax	145.00	125.00
Savings bank tax	1,196.00	1,200.00
For fighting forest fires	112.00	100.00
<b>From Local Sources Except Taxes</b>		
Business licenses and permits	3.25	3.50
Fines and forfeits, Municipal court	142.00	125.00
Rent of town hall and other buildings	35.00	35.00
Interest received on taxes and deposits	126.00	126.00
Income of Departments: Highway, including rental of equipment	110.00	100.00
Motor vehicle permit fees	1,400.00	1,400.00
<b>From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes</b>		
Poll taxes	1,200.00	1,200.00
National bank stock tax	24.00	24.00
County for relief	5.00	5.00
Cash on hand (surplus)	2,141.00	
<b>Total revenues from all sources except property taxes</b>	<b>\$ 6,872.06</b>	<b>\$ 4,671.31</b>
<b>* Amount to be raised by property taxes</b>		<b>\$30,680.81</b>
<b>Total revenues</b>		<b>\$35,352.12</b>



## Purposes of Expenditures

	Actual	Estimated
<b>General Government</b>		
Town officers' salaries	\$ 860.00	\$ 860.00
Town officers' expenses	450.00	450.00
Election and registration expenses	36.00	180.00
Municipal court expenses	105.00	105.00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	25.00	25.00
<b>Protection of Persons and Property</b>		
Police department	325.00	300.00
<b>Health</b>		
Health department, including hospitals	46.00	50.00
Vital statistics	17.25	20.00
<b>Highways and Bridges</b>		
Town maintenance	8,300.00	7,000.00
General expense of highway department	600.00	
<b>Libraries</b>		
Libraries	112.00	112.00
<b>Public Welfare</b>		
Town poor	2,400.00	2,400.00
Old age assistance	197.00	250.00
<b>Patriotic Purposes</b>		
Memorial Day and other celebrations	50.00	50.00
<b>Public Service Enterprises</b>		
Cemeteries	400.00	400.00
<b>Interest</b>		
On temporary loans	15.00	15.00
<b>Highways and Bridges</b>		
State Aid Construction town's share	500.12	500.12
<b>Payments to Other Governmental Divisions</b>		
County taxes	5,703.00	5,500.00
Payments to precincts	763.00	750.00
Payments to school districts	15,128.00	16,385.00

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Total expenditures	\$36,032.37	\$35,352.12
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\*Total estimated "Revenues from All Sources except Property Taxes" deducted from Total estimated "Expenditures" should give estimated "Amount to be raised by Property Taxes."

## INVENTORY

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### Real and Personal Property April 1, 1939

Real Estate	\$803,350.00
66 horses	6,810.00
196 cows	10,575.00
50 neat stock	2,055.00
8 oxen	860.00
8 sheep	40.00
13 hogs	110.00
Fowls	1,700.00
Fur bearing animals	1,210.00
Portable mills	2,150.00
Wood and lumber (not stock in trade)	3,150.00
Mills and machinery	176,500.00
Vehicles and rolling stock	8,450.00
Stock in trade	81,720.00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	1,650.00
Transformers and power lines	73,350.00
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	\$1,173,680.00

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### Taxes Levied for all Purposes, 1939

Town charges	\$ 2,500.00
County tax	5,703.57
Highways and bridges	8,300.12
Cemeteries	400.00
Memorial Day	50.00
Tools for fire wardens	25.00
Timber salvage expenses	165.00
Sanding machines	300.00
Library	50.00
Schools	15,916.50
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	\$33,410.19
Overlay	\$ 945.99
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	\$34,356.18

Poll taxes and other credits	3,840.50
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	\$30,515.68

Town tax rate	\$2.60
Precinct tax rate	\$ .48

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## SELECTMEN IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN OF CAMPTON

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### Receipts

#### From Local Sources

Cash on hand January 31, 1939	\$ 2,480.44
Paul S. Durgin, 1938 property tax	2,921.99
Paul S. Durgin, 1938 poll tax	296.00
Paul S. Durgin, 1939 poll tax	896.00
Paul S. Durgin, 1939 property tax	27,837.23
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	\$34,431.81

#### From Local Sources Except Taxes

Lyone E. Stuart, dog money	\$ 249.00
Lyone E. Stuart, auto permits	1,433.27
Town of Ellsworth, snow removal	110.00
E. S. Freethy, fines	142.00
Campton Grange, rent town hall	35.00
George E. Pulsifer, county order	5.00
Paul S. Durgin, bank tax	24.00
Paul S. Durgin, interest on 1938 tax	126.25
Paul S. Durgin, interest on 1939 tax	4.77
Land redeemed	303.69
O. B. Hussey, Young and Avery camp lot	10.00
Selectmen, firearms permits	3.25
Timber Salvage Administration, timber	884.27
Town of Thornton, Pattee lease	50.00
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	\$ 3,380.50

#### Temporary Loans

John M. Pulsifer note	\$ 1,000.00
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**From the State**

State treasurer, flood damage	\$ 435.81
State treasurer, forest fires	48.19
Insurance tax	2.81
Railroad tax	148.45
Savings Bank tax	1,096.12
Interest and dividend tax	233.47
Bounties	30.80
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	\$ 1,995.65
Total receipts	\$40,807.81

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**EXPENDITURES**

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**Town Officers' Salaries**

R. J. Dole, auditor	\$ 5.00
E. S. Freethey, auditor	5.00
W. C. Pulsifer estate, services as treasurer	43.75
Fred E. Pulsifer, services as treasurer	31.25
Lyone E. Stuart, services as town clerk	75.00
George E. Pulsifer, services as overseer of poor	15.00
John M. Pulsifer, services as selectman	150.00
W. B. Avery, services as selectman	140.00
Webb Little, services as selectman	140.00
S. P. Robie, services as treasurer of trust funds	10.00
Paul S. Durgin, services as tax collector	175.00
E. L. Heal, services as overseer of poor	70.00
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	\$ 860.00

**Town Officers' Expenses**

Association of N. H. Assessors dues	\$ 2.00
Paul S. Durgin, expenses of tax sales	18.55
Record Print, printing town reports	91.70
Selectmen, telephone and cash paid out	11.77
C. E. Dixon, searching probate records	.50
F. J. Shores, real estate transfers	10.49
Edson C. Eastman Co., supplies	10.28
Lyone E. Stuart, postage and supplies	11.01

F. W. Brown, bonding town officers	90.00
Wheeler & Clark, tax books and blanks	13.75
Laura E. Pulsifer, copying inventory	10.00
W. B. Avery, postage on reports and blanks	14.75
I. H. Brown, stamped envelopes	27.48
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	\$ 312.28

#### **Election and Registration**

Record Print, printing ballots and check lists	\$ 31.25
Lester E. Mitchell, services as moderator	5.00
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	\$ 36.25

#### **Highways**

Joseph Hodgson, highway money	\$ 1,572.44
Russell W. Palmer, highway money	1,850.00
Lewis F. Avery, highway money	233.28
M. P. Hibbard, snow removal	2,105.52
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	\$ 5,761.24

#### **Bridges**

Joseph Hodgson, labor	\$ 25.33
M. P. Hibbard, bridge truss	50.00
Lyons Iron Works, steel	47.15
State Highway Garage, tile culverts	332.80
W. B. Avery, rails	207.20
Chester Downing, trucking	17.00
W. B. Avery, spikes	9.02
R. W. Palmer, labor	117.50
J. F. Hodgson, labor Blair bridge	146.47
W. B. Avery, roofing and spikes	74.09
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	\$ 1,026.56

#### **Schools**

Lucy E. Cook, treasurer, dog money in full	\$ 156.30
Lucy E. Cook, treasurer, balance 1938 school money	2,128.00
Lucy E. Cook, treasurer, school money	12,500.00
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	\$14,784.30

**County Tax**

Harry S. Huckins, treasurer, county tax	\$ 5,703.57
<b>State</b>	
State Treasurer, Old Age Assistance	\$ 197.50
State Treasurer, oil for town roads	117.73
State Treasurer, lumber, Blaisdell bridge	25.60
State Treasurer, T. R. A. money	500.80
State Treasurer, fire tools	25.00
State Treasurer, oil for Cemetery road	221.44
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	\$ 1,088.07

**Precinct**

F. E. Dearborn, treasurer, precinct money	\$ 763.00
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**Relief**

George E. Pulsifer, overseer of poor	\$ 410.64
E. L. Heal, overseer of poor	2,200.00
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	\$ 2,610.64

**Libraries**

Library trustees, library appropriation	\$ 50.00
Laura E. Pulsifer, services as librarian	50.00
Hilda E. Avery, services as librarian	12.00
W. E. Baker, services as librarian	12.00
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	\$ 124.00

**Bounties**

Selectmen	\$ 30.80
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**Cemeteries**

E. H. Cook, cemetery money	\$ 400.00
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**Municipal Court**

E. S. Freethey, salary and expenses	\$ 103.88
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**Protection of Persons and Property**

William Drake, labor on lobby	\$ 4.00
Bert L. Cheney, police and feeding tramps	169.85
Edwin L. Heal, services as dog police and police service	30.00
George K. Thompson, police duty and telephone	134.66

Public Service of N. H. lighting lobby	14.00
B. W. Pulsifer, wood for lobby	15.00
L. F. Avery, Campton Village fire	96.18
C. W. Garland, fire at Beech Hill	8.20
Plymouth Fire Dept., fires at Blair saw mill	110.50
W. B. Avery, fire tools	12.40
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	\$ 594.79
<b>Vital Statistics</b>	
Lyone E. Stuart, recording births and deaths	\$ 14.25
H. A. Cheney, reporting births and deaths	3.00
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	\$ 17.25
<b>Board of Health</b>	
George K. Thompson, health officer	\$ 13.07
H. A. Cheney, vaccinations	23.00
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	\$ 36.07
<b>Cemetery Road</b>	
J. F. Hodgson	\$ 166.03
Bernard A. Smith	2.40
Harold E. Johnson	2.40
State Highway Garage	4.80
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	\$ 175.63
<b>Interest Paid</b>	
John M. Pulsifer, interest on note	\$ 15.00
<b>Notes Paid</b>	
John M. Pulsifer, note in full	\$ 1,000.00
<b>Memorial Day</b>	
C. J. Reed, treasurer American Legion	\$ 50.00
<b>Town Dump</b>	
J. B. Southmayd, burning dump	\$ 4.00
Percy L. Still, burning dump	6.50
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	\$ 10.50

**Town Hall**

White Mt. Power Co., lights	\$	18.00
Charles Piper, janitor		6.00
Ayer Insurance Co., insurance Mathews Memorial		12.50
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	\$	36.50

**New Equipment**

S. P. Ray, two sanding machines	\$	300.00
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**Timber Salvage**

Lillian Pattee, lease of land	\$	100.00
Pemigewasset National Bank, lease of land		25.00
Aita B. Mussey, lease of land		40.00
W. B. Avery, repairs on scalers office		7.23
W. B. Avery, paid for sorting logs		8.05
Norman P. Smith, sawing and sticking lumber		417.59
Chester Downing, logging		86.30
Ben Moulton, logging		1,136.22
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	\$	1,820.39

**General**

P. I. Perkins Co., repairs on tractor	\$	243.36
Chase Grain Mill, salt		38.40
Maine Steel Inc., parts for tractor plow		113.82
R. G. Wakefield, legal services		15.00
Avery Lumber Co., lumber		10.77
E. M. Avery, labor		22.50
Lyone E. Stuart, issuing auto permits		115.50
Paul S. Durgin, tax sales		406.43
Ayer Insurance Co., insurance on tractor		7.80
W. B. Avery, express on fire tools		1.93
Selectmen, perambulating town lines		30.00
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	\$	1,005.51

Total expenditures \$38,666.23

Cash on hand to balance \$ 2,141.58

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\$40,807.81



## STATEMENT OF TIMBER SALVAGE ACCOUNT

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Amount paid for logging, sawing and sticking	\$ 1,820.39
Received for timber sold	884.27
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Amount invested in lumber on hand and used	\$ 936.12
Lumber used, value if bought	
Blaisdell bridge, 2160 ft.	\$ 54.00
Blair bridge, 8156 ft.	203.90
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	\$ 257.90
Lumber on Sticks	
White Pine	8630 ft.
Hard Pine	52092 ft
This lumber should be worth from \$18.00 to \$20.00 per 1000 feet.	

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## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

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### Assets

Cash on hand	\$ 2,141.58
Due on tax sales	572.18
Cash in hands of overseer of poor	194.24
Cash in hands of road agents	292.31
Cash in hands of superintendent of cemeteries	15.28
Uncollected 1939 tax	3,475.00
Estimated value of lumber on sticks	1,093.00
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	\$ 7,783.59

### Liabilities

Balance dog money due school district	\$ 224.00
Balance school money due school district	3,416.50
Balance due on town dump appropriation	336.43
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	\$ 3,976.93

Excess assets over liabilities	
January 31, 1939	\$ 3,200.66
Excess assets over liabilities	
January 31, 1940	3,806.66
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Increase of assets	\$ 606.00

JOHN M. PULSIFER,  
 WEBB LITTLE,  
 W. B. AVERY,

Selectmen of Campton.

Fred E. Pulsifer, Treasurer.

**TOWN CLERK'S REPORT**  
**Lyone E. Stuart, Town Clerk**

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Cash received from auto permits issued from January 31, 1939 to January 27, 1940 less service bill	\$ 1,433.27
Cash received from dog licenses issued in 1939, less fees	249.00
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Total cash receipts	\$ 1,682.27
	<b>Credit</b>
Paid town treasurer	\$ 1,682.27

LYONE E. STUART,  
Town Clerk.

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**COLLECTOR'S REPORT**  
**Property Taxes for the Year 1939**

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Amount on books	\$31,329.46
Interest	4.77
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	\$31,334.23
Paid town treasurer	\$27,837.23
Abatements	6.64
Interest	4.77
Cash on hand	10.00
Uncollected	3,475.59
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	\$31,334.23

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I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of Janury 31, 1940, on account of the tax levy of 1939, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

PAUL S. DURGIN,  
Tax Collector.

**COLLECTOR'S REPORT**  
**Poll Taxes for the Year 1939**

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Amount on books	\$ 1,216.00
Collected and paid treasurer	\$ 896.00
Uncollected	320.00
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PAUL S. DURGIN,  
Tax Collector.

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**COLLECTOR'S REPORT**  
**Property Taxes for the Year 1938**

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Uncollected tax	\$ 2,921.99
Interest	126.25
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Paid town treasurer	\$ 2,921.99
Paid town treasurer, interest	126.25
	<hr/> \$ 3,048.24

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PAUL S. DURGIN,  
Tax Collector.

# COLLECTOR'S REPORT

## Poll Taxes for the Year 1938

Uncollected	\$ 294.00
From 1937 abatements	2.00
Added taxes	30.00

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\$ 326.00

Paid treasurer	\$ 296.00
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Cash on hand	\$ 2.00
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### Abatements and Unpaid

Ada Ashley, unpaid	\$ 2.00
Irene Curtis, unpaid	2.00
Roma Latuch, unpaid	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. John Marsden, unpaid	4.00
Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Poelman, unpaid	4.00
Mable Powell, unpaid	2.00
Harry Straw, unpaid	2.00
Louise Williams, unpaid	2.00
Ethel Zogopolus, unpaid	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Planky, unpaid	4.00
Mary Morin, gone	2.00

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\$ 326.00

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PAUL S. DURGIN,  
Tax Collector.

## ROAD AGENTS' REPORT

### L. F. Avery, Road Agent, West Side

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L. F. Avery, truck and labor	\$ 119.65
R. E. Thompson, labor sanding	42.00
Lester Avery, labor sanding	10.50
H. W. Avery, labor sanding	10.50
W. C. Avery, labor sanding	12.00
Floman Giverson, labor	3.00
W. J. Bump, painting Blaisdell bridge	6.00
Fred Young, painting Blaisdell bridge	9.00
L. E. Mitchell, plank and labor	20.63
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	\$ 233.28
Received from town	\$ 233.28

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### Joe Hodgson, Road Agent

Cash on hand January 31, 1939	\$ 23.09
Received from town treasurer	1,445.53
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	\$ 1,468.62
Cash on hand	\$ 150.00
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	\$ 1,618.62

### Paid Out

Henry Dwinnells	\$ 1.67
John Morgan	9.26
Perley Chase	9.00
John Pulsifer, plank	37.50
W. B. Avery, explosives	.38
Bert Pulsifer	25.67
Chase Grain Co., salt	7.76
Volney Chase	22.50
Ralph Bump	5.00
Mildred Avery	5.20
L. F. Avery	45.00
John Marsden	3.00
A. F. Downing, gravel	14.20

W. E. Wishman	.65
Alec Gero, sharpening drills and pick	3.00
Joe Hodgson	764.20
Fred Young	69.00
Waldo Bump	10.50
William Day	13.50
George Young	15.00
Jason Webster	49.85
John Savage	112.34
Walter Connell	81.00
Bert Avery	140.35

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\$ 1,445.53

### **Cemetery Road**

Received from treasurer \$ 166.03

Bert Avery	\$ 8.00
William Day	2.67
State Highway Department	13.68
A. F. Downing	7.29
Volney Chase	1.00
Joe Hodgson	87.73
Lewis Noseworthy	2.33
Ralph Webster	2.00
Amos Avery	2.33
James Palmer	2.33
Edward Cote	2.33
Henry Dwinnells	20.34
Walter Connell	10.00
John Savage	4.00

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\$ 166.03

### **Joe Hodgson, Bridges**

Received from treasurer \$ 171.80

Joe Hodgson	\$ 103.55
John Savage	33.00
Bert Avery	25.67
Walter Connell	5.33
Ralph Miles	4.25

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\$ 171.80

Russell W. Palmer, Road Agent, West Side

In Account with Town of Campton, 1939

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Cash received from town of Campton for town roads	\$ 1,850.00
Russell W. Palmer, labor and truck	\$ 778.25
Fred Plaisted, labor	67.00
Richard Palmer, labor	31.67
Howard Coffin, labor	95.67
Adriel Palmer, labor	85.50
M. P. Hibbard, cutting and welding	8.00
State Highway Garage, shovel and operator	66.00
Lewis Avery, truck	4.44
Samuel Page, truck and labor	12.00
Floman Giverson, labor	37.50
Will Hawkins, labor and gravel	44.50
Carroll Palmer, labor	6.00
Lester Avery, labor	.50
Willy Avery, labor	13.67
Edwin Heal, gravel	33.20
A. F. Downing, labor	1.70
A. F. Downing, labor and sand	33.88
W. B. Avery, gravel and dynamite	10.50
Ronald Avery, labor	.50
John O'Shea, labor	16.70
S. H. Sherburn, labor	12.00
Edward Piper, labor	31.00
Henry Coffin, labor	84.67
Alvin Brainerd, labor	66.00
Charles Piper, labor	37.50
Fred Spokesfield, sharpening saw and drills	2.50
Lester Mitchell, labor and truck	82.44
Clinton Garland, wire for snow fence	2.00
Eugene Dunklee, labor	1.50
Raymond Foss, gravel	4.60
A. Augusto, grader and operator	12.50
Fred Pulsifer, labor	6.00
Fred Tobey, gravel	3.80
Nickolas Triantifilu, labor	3.00
Arthur Moulton, labor	10.50



Lloyd Avery, labor	.50
Cash on hand to balance	142.31

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\$ 1,850.00

### Bridge Account

Received from town	\$ 117.50
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Russell W. Palmer, labor and truck	\$ 48.50
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Fred Plaisted, labor	36.00
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Alvin Brainerd	33.00
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\$ 117.50

Labor on Blair Bridge

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## CAMPTON CEMETERY ACCOUNT

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### Cash Received

Balance left from 1938	\$ 1.53
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May 6	Received from town	200.00
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July 5	Received from town	200.00
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Aug.	Received from grave sold	2.00
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Sept. 4	Received from lot sold to Mrs. Green	10.00
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Oct. 4	Received from lot sold to Mr. Frank Tucker	10.00
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\$ 423.53

### Cemetery Account 1939

#### Cash Paid Out

May 6	Paid Frank Willoughby	\$ 18.00
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May 6	Paid Henry Dwinnells	16.50
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May 6	Paid Andrew Kimball	15.00
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May 6	Paid Harold Thompson	15.00
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May 6	Paid George D. Pattee	9.00
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May 13	Paid Henry Dwinnells	18.00
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May 13	Paid Harold Ash	18.00
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May 13	Paid Harold Thompson	15.00
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May 13	Paid Andrew Kimball	15.00
May 13	Paid George D. Pattee	12.00
May 20	Paid Henry Dwinnells	12.00
May 20	Paid Harold Ash	12.00
May 27	Paid Harold Ash	15.00
July 8	Paid Henry Dwinnells	9.00
July 15	Paid Leroy P. Uhlman labor at Campton Village cemetery	8.00
July 22	Paid Harold Ash	18.00
July 28	Paid Harold Ash	9.00
Aug. 5	Paid Harold Ash	6.50
Aug. 5	Paid W. A. Martin	3.00
Aug. 12	Paid E. H. Cook, labor and cash paid out	22.00
Aug. 12	Paid Harold Ash	15.00
Aug. 19	Paid Harold Ash	18.00
Aug. 26	Paid Harold Ash	16.75
Sept. 2	Paid Harold Ash	18.00
Sept. 9	Paid Harold Ash	12.00
Sept. 16	Paid Harold Ash	18.00
Sept. 20	Paid E. H. Cook	22.00
Sept. 22	Paid Harold Ash	6.00
Nov. 22	Paid E. H. Cook, in full	15.00
1940		
Jan. 24	Paid George Pattee	1.50
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		\$ 408.25
Jan. 31	Cash on hand to balance	\$ 15.28
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		\$ 423.53

EDWARD H. COOK,  
Superintendent 1939.

## TRUST FUNDS

### Receipts

1939		
May 1	Received of Plymouth Guaranty Savings Bank	\$ 75.00
July 6	Received of W. F. Sanborn	100.00
July 8	Received of Plymouth Guaranty Savings Bank	75.00
Sept. 30	Received of Plymouth Guaranty Savings Bank	225.00
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		\$ 475.00

### Expenditures

1939		
May 2	Paid E. H. Cook for labor on lots	\$ 75.00
July 6	Deposited in Plymouth Guaranty Savings Bank	100.00
July 9	Paid E. H. Cook for labor on lots	75.00
Sept. 30	Paid E. H. Cook for labor on lots	225.00
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		\$ 475.00
1940		
Jan. 31	Principal deposited	\$ 9,575.00
Jan. 31	Unexpended interest	1,094.97
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Jan. 31	Total deposits	\$10,669.97

SAMUEL P. ROBIE, Treasurer.  
 ELLIS S. FREETHEY,  
 W. B. AVERY,  
 Trustees of Trust Funds.

## SEXTON'S REPORT

### Number Buried and Entombed in Campton Cemetery

1939

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Under one year of age	0
From 1 to 5 years of age	0
From 5 to 10 years of age	0
From 10 to 15 years of age	0
From 15 to 20 years of age	0
From 20 to 25 years of age	0
From 25 to 30 years of age	0
From 35 to 40 years of age	0
From 40 to 45 years of age	1
From 45 to 50 years of age	0
From 50 to 55 years of age	5
From 55 to 60 years of age	0
From 60 to 65 years of age	0
From 65 to 70 years of age	2
From 70 to 75 years of age	4
From 75 to 80 years of age	5
From 80 to 85 years of age	6
From 85 to 90 years of age	0
From 90 to 95 years of age	0
From 95 to 100 years of age	0

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FRED G. HILL,

Sexton Campton Cemetery.

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### Money Expended for Perpetual Care of Cemetery Lots

Ephriam Cook	\$ 2.00
Caroline Holmes	5.00
C. W. Cook	1.00
E. A. Chase	4.00
Emeline Brock	5.00
Moody B. Cone	2.00
William Stickney	4.00
Elijah Mitchell	2.00
D. F. A. Goss	6.00

Nettie D. Sanborn	2.00
Hannah B. Wallace	2.00
Moses Smith	2.00
T. P. Clark	2.00
Lydia Hannaford	4.00
Mabel A. Chase	4.00
B. F. Hannaford	4.00
Mrs. F. S. Whiting	2.00
Mrs. A. K. Silver	4.00
George P. Clark	6.00
Elizabeth H. Elliott	4.00
Adeline E. Henry	8.00
S. Katherine Adams	4.00
Sarah E. B. Dole	2.00
Walter Blair	2.00
Albert McCoy	4.00
Mabel M. Ladd	8.00
James S. Avery	4.00
Mrs. Martin K. Silver	4.00
Matthew Brooks	8.00
Lydia B. Johnson	8.00
Moses Cook	6.00
Hattie B. Southmayd	4.00
Henry Cook	12.00
William Robinson	8.00
Edw. H. Sanborn	8.00
B. B. Southmayd	2.00
Charles Shute	8.00
Mrs. Albert J. Elliott	1.00
John P. Stickney	1.00
Nathan Pierce	2.00
Abigail Wood	2.00
Anna Homans	3.00
Mrs. Enoch Emmons	5.00
William H. Adams	2.00
Franklin Spencer	4.00
Freeman Cook	24.00
Estate of A. J. Eastman	4.00
Martha A. Blaisdell	6.00
Estate of Henry D. Wyatt	3.00
George W. Keniston	4.00
Lucius Howe	4.00
Bump and Burroughs	9.00
Betsy Ann Clark	6.00

Julia E. Chase	2.00
Alma Clark	8.00
Esther E. Hart	2.00
Mrs. Ella G. Damon	1.00
Martha Colby	4.00
G. T. C. Smith	2.00
Emily W. Shaw	2.00
Isaac S. Moses	3.00
Charles M. and E. K. Avery lot	4.00
Keniston and Ewins lot	2.00
James Hart	2.00
Estate of David McGrath	2.00
H. D. and J. C. Smith	4.00
Eva M. Cook	4.00
Mary T. Rogers	2.00
Sarah A. Stickney lot	6.00
Benjamin Swett	6.00
Charles B. Caldon	2.00
E. J. Young	2.00
E. E. Sprague	2.00
Albert Silver lot	4.00
Benjamin McLellan	4.00
Warren G. and Irving H. Chase	6.00
Henry and George Kelley	6.00
Elbridge Nichols	2.00
Samuel M. Holmes	8.00
Leverett Clark	6.00
Ozias H. James lot	6.00
Joseph Holmes lot	6.00
J. C. Smith	2.00
Cyrus Keniston	2.00
Dora B. Merrill	2.00
Daniel C. Avery	2.00
Palmer and Yeaton lot	2.00
Deacon William G. Brown	4.00
Joseph Pulsifer lot	2.00
David Pulsifer lot	2.00

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\$ 375.00

## REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR, CAMPTON

February and March 1939

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### Receipts

Balance last year	\$	31.48
County order		5.00
Town treasurer		410.64
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Total receipts	\$	447.12

### Expenditures

#### Paid

M. E. Fowler, groceries John French	\$	28.35
John M. Pulsifer, wood, R. L. Avery		3.50
F. M. Libby, rent, John French		12.00
Viola M. Neily, board Frank Dustin children		72.00
N. H. Orphans Home, board Frank Dustin children		155.00
George D. Pattee, delivering surplus commodities		12.00
A. P. Brainerd, yarding wood, Mrs. G. E. Downes		12.90
A & P Tea Co., groceries, Mrs. G. E. Downes		10.00
C. E. Woodbury, sawing wood, Mrs. G. E. Downes		9.00
Frank Dearborn, groceries, Harold Moulton (County)		5.00
Chase Grain Mill, grain, Mrs. G. E. Downes		1.60
G. E. Pulsifer, wood, R. L. Avery		3.50
W. E. Wishman, groceries, Elmer Palmer		15.38
W. E. Wishman, groceries, William G. Driscoll		9.98
First National Stores, groceries, R. L. Avery		9.00
Leon Worthen, groceries, Mrs. J. W. Gage		15.81
Dr. R. F. DeWitt, services, Elmer Long		2.10
Dr. L. A. Middleton, services, ex-soldier		20.00
Dr. L. A. Middleton, services, Donald Johnson		30.00
Memorial Hospital, x-ray, Mrs. G. E. Downes		5.00

Town treasurer, County order	5.00
W. B. Avery, groceries, Mrs. G. E. Downes	10.00
Total expenditures	\$ 447.12
G. E. PULSIFER, Overseer of Poor.	

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**REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR**  
**For the Year Ending January 31, 1940**

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N. H. Orphans Home, board of four Dustin children from Mar. 1939 to Feb. 1940	\$ 792.00
Viola M. Neily, board of two Dustin children from Mar. 1939 to Feb. 1940	396.00
Grafton County Farm, hospital care for Elmer Palmer Sept. 25, 1939 to Jan. 1, 1940	196.00
Wilbur Palmer, care of Elmer Palmer June 28 to Sept. 25	185.00
Samuel Gammons, ambulance to Woodsville with Elmer Palmer	15.00
Samuel Gammons, ambulance to Woodsville and burial expenses of Elmer Palmer	77.50
W. E. Wishman, groceries to Elmer Palmer	39.91
Dr. H. A. Cheney, 3 office calls, 1 house call to Elmer Palmer	5.50
Joseph Hodgson, milk to E. Palmer	4.26
Fred Hill, digging grave for E. Palmer	7.00
M. E. Fowler, groceries to John French	61.71
Florence M. Libby, rent of camp to John French, Feb. 1 to Nov. 1, 1939	36.00
Mrs. A. D. Merrill, board and care of Ed. Wilson, Nov. 27, 1939 to Feb. 1. 1940	66.00
W. B. Avery, 1 coat to Ed. Wilson	2.00
W. B. Avery, groceries to Mrs. Gage	35.39
L. W. Worthen, groceries to Mrs. Gage	9.78
L. R. Morrison, groceries to Mrs. Gage	2.97
W. B. Avery, groceries to Mrs. Gardner Downes	16.45
Dr. DeWitt, professional services to Mrs. Gardner Downes broken arm	16.00



Edwin L. Heal, delivering surplus commodities	38.00
Postage, stationery, and telephone	5.00
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	\$ 2,007.47
Paid W. E. Wishman and deducted from Wilbur Palmer's pay for cigarettes and tobacco	1.71
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Total	\$ 2,005.76
Amount on hand	\$ 194.24
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Received from town treasurer	\$ 2,200.00
	\$ 2,200.00
EDWIN L. HEAL, Overseer of Poor.	

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### LIBRARY TRUSTEES REPORT

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#### Receipts

Balance from last year	\$ 32.51
Laura E. Pulsifer, 1 book	1.44
Town appropriation for library	50.00
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	\$ 83.95

#### Expenditures

Laura E. Pulsifer, books	\$ 1.00
Leavitt's Co., books	1.98
Laura E. Pulsifer, books	12.10
Library Book House, books	1.88
Library Book House, books	5.82
Clay's News Stand, record book	1.85
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	\$ 24.63
Balance on hand	\$ 59.32
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	\$ 83.95

LYONE E. STUART,  
LAURA E. PULSIFER,  
DAISY M. STICKNEY,  
Library Trustees.

## BOARD OF HEALTH, 1939

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Trip to Melvin Avery's	\$	1.50
Express on water jug and return of refill		.56
Eunice Morrison		1.00
Mrs. Fowler, drainage		1.00
Leslie Moulton, burying hog		2.00
Leslie Moulton, complaint of hog		.50
Trip to town dump		1.00
Express on water jug and return of refill		.51
Investigating rubbish dumping on Hogsback road		1.00
Investigating complaints from State Board one-half day		2.50
Call to investigate dumping of rubbish		1.50
	\$	13.07

GEORGE K. THOMPSON,  
Health Officer.

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## REPORT OF CAMPTON MUNICIPAL COURT

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### Cases Tried

Motor Vehicle Department	29
Fisheries and Game Department	1
Disorderly conduct	1
Assault	1
Carrying concealed weapon	1
Small Claim Accounts	15
	48

### Financial Statement

#### Debit

Received from all sources	\$ 645.40
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### Credit

Paid fines and department costs	
Motor Vehicle Department	\$ 437.70
Paid fines Fisheries and Game Department	17.30
Paid State Police Department	6.70
Paid local officers	41.70
Paid Town of Campton	142.00
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	\$ 645.40

ELLIS S. FREETHEY,  
Justice.

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Having examined the foregoing accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Overseer of Poor, Town Clerk, Road Agents, Superintendent of Cemeteries, Health Officer, Library Trustees, Trustees of Trust Funds and Collector of Taxes, we find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

ELLIS S. FREETHEY,  
ROLAND J. DOLE,  
Auditors.

Campton, N. H., February 8, 1940.

# Births Registered in the Town of Campton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1939

Date of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex, Cond		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
		Male	Female							
Feb 3	Marjorie P Martell	F	L	2W Onis J Martell	Mildred L Blood	W Campton	W Campton	Laborer	Chateauville Que	Windsor Vt
Feb 3	William Ray	M	sb	1W Unknown H Smith	Blanche Reaugarand	W Campton	W Campton	Unknown	Unknown	Ashby Mass
Feb 12	Carolyn June Smith	F	L	1W Adelbert H Smith	Winifred G Patten	W Beebe River	W Beebe River	Laborer	Stockholm Me	Cambridge Vt
Apr 9	Virginia C Morgan	F	L	1W John T Morgan	Cathryn M Mc Elliott	W Campton	W Campton	Farmer	Crystal Me	Boston Mass
Apr 10	Albert Peter	M	L	1W will not divulge	Eugenia W Zokolopoulos	W Manchester	W Manchester			Lowell Mass
Apr 27	Marjorie E Uhlman	F	L	1W Leroy P Uhlman	Marjorie E McCoy	W Campton	W Campton	General labor	Thornton	Campton
May 9	Malcolm Foster Avery	M	L	1W George F Avery	Rita E Edgell	W Campton	W Campton	Mechanic	Ellsworth	Campton
May 11	Ralph Charles Tracy	M	L	1W Harland E Tracy	Ola L Ellsworth	W Campton	W Campton	Log roller	Battleboro Vt	Fairfax Vt
Aug 6	Maurice Jas Rochefort	M	L	2W Maurice N Rochefort	Alice H Ivers	W Campton	W Campton	Bobbin oiler	Farnham Que	Thunwick Que
Aug 9	Lorita Agnes Downing	F	L	5W Chester E Downing	Bertha Willette	W Campton	W Campton	General labor	Campton	Salisbury
Sept 24	Ronald Eugene Goodwin	M	L	5W Fred L Goodwin	Daisy Burwick	W Campton	W Campton	Fireman	Lakeview Me	Bury Que
Oct 3	Josephine S Vintinner	F	L	13W Wm E Vintinner	Ora L Inkel	W Campton	W Campton	Bobbin mill oper	Woodstock	St Milo Que
Nov 25	Robert F Sellingham	M	L	4W Frank M Sellingham	Frances Coursey	W Campton	W Beebe River	Stationary engineer	Moosehead Me	Waterville Vt
Dec 16	Robert Harry Smith	M	L	2W Charles H Smith	Elizabeth I Moulton	W Campton	W Campton	Bobbin maker	Meredith	Clinton Mass
Dec 16	Betty Ann Page	F	L	6W Albert W Page				Farmer		

# **Marriages Registered in the Town of Campton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1939**

6 1939	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at time of Marriage	Age in Years	Color of Each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation of Parents	Times Married	Name residence and official station of person by whom married
June 1	Campton	Dennis R Bump	Campton	22	W	Gen labor	Campton	Waldo J Bump Ethel M Ames	Campton	Carpenter Housewife	1	George F Currier Clergyman
		Marlon B Moulton	W Campton	18	W	At home	W Campton	Arthur W Moulton Lyle Cheney	W Campton	Private mill own Hou ewife	1	Campton
July 20	Plymouth	Oscar E Skinner Sr	Campton	51	W	Hotel mgr	Lynn Mass	David Skinner Louise Moore	Thornton	Leather heels Housewife	2	Robert E Fuller Clergyman
		Harriet May Long	Plymouth	39	W	Secretary		Austin W Zwicker Muncietta T Canto	Coldchester Conn Nova Scotia	Accountant Housewife	1	Plymouth
July 22	Newbury	Ralph Waldo Bump	Campton	29	W	Gen labor	Campton	Waldo J Bump Ethel M Ames	Boston Ma s	Carpenter Housewife	1	Norman Scranton Clergyman
		Viola Muriel Pray	Campton	30	W	Teacher	Dalhart Tex	Julius V Pray Edith L Baer	Campton	Mechanic Housewife	1	S Newbury
Sept 4	Plymouth	Wallace H Tarte	Meredith	27	W	Forest Service		Howard L Tarte Mary E Hodge	Brooklyn N Y Mt Pleasant Ia	Patent leather Farmer	1	Hector A Benoit Catholic Priest
		Irrgard H Avery	Campton	21	W	At home	Boston Mass	Emmy A Thal Marshall P Hobart	Winchester Mass Campton	Housewife Dressmaker	1	Plymouth
Aug 1	Plymouth	Charles S Hobart	Plymouth	18	W	Truck driver	Plymouth	Leetta T Pike Ozias Willoughby	Berlin Germany Plymouth	Mill hand Housewife	1	A R Thompson Clergyman
		Anna R Willoughby	Campton	20	W	At home	Campton	Edith M Hanscomb Arthur S McCormick	Renton Campton	Farmer Housewife	1	Plymouth
Oct 10	Plymouth	Richard McCormack	Moultonboro	20	W	Shipping clerk	Moultonboro	Ruby E Davis Waldo J Bump	Moultonboro Campton	Laborer Waitress	1	A B Thompson Clergyman
		Arlene Estella Bump	Campton	17	W	At home	Plymouth	Ethel M Ames Unknown	Campton	Carpenter Housewife	1	Plymouth
Dec 2	Lebanon	Howard A Stickney	Campton	32	W	Laborer	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	1	Leonard B Gray Clergyman
		Marion F Brooks	Rutland Vt	29	W	Beauty culture	Portsmouth	Irving Brooks Grace Schofield	Unknown Pittsford Vt	Unknown Navy yard Milliner	1	Lebanon

# Deaths Registered in the Town of Campton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1939

Date—1939	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age			Place of Birth			Sex and Cond'n		Occupation		Place of Birth		Father	Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother		
			Years	Months		Days	Place of Birth	Male	Female	Color	Single	mar. w.	F	M					F	M
Jan 4	Campton	Elmer E Long	53	5	13	Boston	Mass	M	W	S	Laborer	Unknown	Unknown	George Long	Harry Marvell	Unknown	Sarah George			
Jan 11	Campton	Willis H Marvell	92	3	14	Amherst		M	W	M	Chief	Amherst	Amherst	Unknown	Unknown	Jonathan Batchelder	Unknown	Unknown		
Jan 21	Concord	William F Page	80			Unknown		M	W	M		Unknown	Unknown	Wentworth	Wentworth	Unknown	Hannah Cleasby			
Jan 27	Plymouth	Ida May Batchelder	76	6	22	Wentworth		F	W	S	Housework	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	James S Avery	Blanch Beaugrand	Rutherford		
Feb 3	Campton	William R Beaugrand	76			Campton		M	W	S		Campton	Campton	Campton	Campton	James S Avery	Unknown	Unknown		
Feb 19	Holderness	Lester M Avery	51	10	14	Campton		M	W	M	Merchant	Campton	Unknown	Unknown	Lisbon	William Swain	Elizabeth Freeman	Freeman		
Mar 1	Ellsworth	Fred G Swain	78	11	6	Warren		M	W	M	Farmer	Plymouth	Unknown	Unknown	Boston	Rev. Horace Hubbard	Rev. Horace Hubbard	Hubbard		
May 14	Holderness	Carl W Keniston	77			Plymouth		M	W	M	Surveyor	New York	Ellsworth	Ellsworth	Lisbon	Gideon Moulton	Emily Perkins	Perkins		
May 16	Fitchburg, Mass.	Winfield M Steele	84	4		Warren		F	W	W	Housewife	Campton	Campton	Campton	Thorton	Mark R Buxton	Lydia M Wallace	Wallace		
June 11	Plymouth	Julia M Thompson	67	2	4	Campton		F	W	W	Housewife	Londonberry Vt	Reading Mass	Canada	Frederick A Mitchell	Lucretia Strong	Strong	Strong		
June 22	Campton	Fred T Buxton	55	2	12	Nashua		M	W	M	Housewife	Campton	Campton	Campton	Unknown	Frank Elliott	Unknown	Unknown		
July 7	Haverhill	Fred Sanborn	78	5	15	Quincy		M	W	W		Campton	Campton	Campton	Unknown	Gerald White	Catherine	Houston		
July 13	Hebron	Lulu Etta Colby	74	11		Campton		F	W	W	Housewife	Campton	Campton	Campton	Unknown	Hugh Nulvey	Lavina Houston	Houston		
July 23	Dover	Viola A Butler	59	4	26	Campton		F	W	M	Housewife	Campton	Campton	Campton	Unknown	William A Yeaton	Lottie M Palmer	Palmer		
Aug 7	Thornton	Gerald I White	50	1		Lonesport Me		M	W	M	Laborer	Ireland	Unknown	Unknown	Charles W Pulsifer	Melvina Cook	Eliza Brooks	Brooks		
Aug 19	Campton	Elizabeth N Flannery	58	1	8	Ireland		F	W	M		Seabrook	Campton	Campton	Campton	James Amsten	Susan Edgerly	Edgerly		
Aug 20	Campton	Abbie E Hodgson	91	1	8	Thornton		F	W	M	Retired	Waterville	Campton	Campton	Campton	Daniel Blaisdel	Elizabeth Avery	Avery		
Aug 24	Rye	Clarence P Yeaton	47	7	17	Sanbornville		M	W	M	Carpenter	Seabrook	Campton	Campton	Campton	Edward W Burnham	Susan M Smith	Smith		
Aug 24	Plymouth	Willard C Pulsifer	81	3	13	Campton		M	W	M	Farmer	Warren Vt	Warren Vt	Warren Vt	Willard Sanborn	Mary Jane Eaton	Eaton	Eaton		
Sept 1	Campton	Edgar A Green	84	9	3	Warren Vt		M	W	M	Merchant	Springfield	Mass	Mass	Charles Palmer	Adeline Avery	Avery	Avery		
Sept 15	Campton	Hope A Amsten	29	6	24	Provident R I		F	W	S	School teach	Italy	Sandwich	Campton	Ellsworth	Charles Palmer	Palmer	Palmer		
Sept 30	Holderness	Mahora A Baker	84	8	22	Campton		F	W	W	Housewife	Italy	Sandwich	Campton	Ellsworth	Charles Palmer	Palmer	Palmer		
Oct 31	Campton	Sarah Compton	55	4	1	Italy		F	W	M	At home	Italy	Sandwich	Campton	Ellsworth	Charles Palmer	Palmer	Palmer		
Nov 26	Sandwich	Mary Emma Crowell	72	1	24	Sandwich		F	W	M	At home	Italy	Sandwich	Campton	Ellsworth	Charles Palmer	Palmer	Palmer		
Dec 25	Laconia	Alphonso W Sanborn	79	11	29	Cambridge Ms		M	W	D	Motorman	Ellsworth	Ellsworth	Ellsworth	Charles Palmer	Palmer	Palmer	Palmer		
Dec 28	Haverhill	Elmer Palmer	76	2	8	Ellsworth		M	W	W		Ellsworth	Ellsworth	Ellsworth	Charles Palmer	Palmer	Palmer	Palmer		







# ***School Report***

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Campton qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the twelfth day of March, 1940, at two o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this Warrant.
8. To see if the District will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the District, as determined by the School Board in its annual report.

9. To see if the School District will authorize the School Board to sell any schoolhouse, not in use, in the District.

10. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Campton this 12th day of February, 1940.

BERTHA S. PULSIFER,  
GEORGE K. THOMPSON,  
LAVINIA E. DOLE,

School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

BERTHA S. PULSIFER,  
GEORGE K. THOMPSON,  
LAVINIA E. DOLE,

School Board.

## **CAMPTON SCHOOL DISTRICT**

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### **Moderator**

Lester E. Mitchell

### **Clerk of School District**

Lyone E. Stuart

### **School Board**

Bertha S. Pulsifer

George K. Thompson

Lavinia E. Dole

### **Treasurer**

Lucy E. Cook

### **Attendance and Census Officer**

George K. Thompson

### **Auditors**

Ellis S. Freethey

Roland J. Dole

### **Superintendent of Schools**

Allan M. McCurdy

### **School Nurse**

Anna Lovett

**FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE CAMPTON SCHOOL  
DISTRICT**

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**Receipts**

**State and Federal Aid**

Equalization fund for elementary schools (from state)	\$ 2,233.95
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**Income From Local Taxation**

**(Raised by Selectmen)**

For the support of elementary schools	\$ 8,834.00
For the payment of high school and academy tuition	4,000.00
For the salaries of district officers	200.00
For the payment of principal of debt	1,000.00
For the payment of interest on debt	139.00
For the payment of per capita tax	522.00
School census and truant officer	25.00
Superintendent's excess salary	408.00

<b>Total</b>	<b>\$15,128.00</b>
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**From Sources Other Than Taxation**

Dog licenses (from selectmen)	\$ 156.30
Elementary school tuitions	388.00
High school tuitions, (refunds)	48.28
Fire insurance	38.37
Damages, state highway department	125.00
Other receipts, rent	9.00

<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 764.95</b>
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Total receipts from all sources	\$18,126.90
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Cash on hand at beginning of year July 1, 1938	\$ 1,330.47
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<b>Grand total</b>	<b>\$19,457.37</b>
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## PAYMENTS

	General Expenses	High School	Elementary School
<b>Administration</b>			
Salaries of district officers	200.00		
Superintendent's excess salary	319.50		
Truant officers and school census	25.00		
Expenses of administration	98.92		
<b>Instruction</b>			
Principals' and teachers' salaries			\$ 7,950.00
Text books			107.30
Scholars' supplies			309.42
Flags and appurtenances			3.10
Other expenses of instruction			48.84
<b>Operation and Maintenance</b>			
<b>of School Plant</b>			
Janitor service			\$ 749.00
Fuel			423.50
Water, light, janitor's supplies			163.48
Minor repairs and expenses			972.28
<b>Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities</b>			
Medical inspection, health supervision			381.69
Transportation of pupils			1,056.60
High school and academy tuition		4,036.21	

Other special activities			9.12
<b>Fixed Charges</b>			
Tax for state wide supervision	522.00		
Insurance and other fixed charges	253.00		
<b>Outlay for Construction and Equipment</b>			
Alterations of old buildings	13.87		
New equipment	148.50		
<b>Debt, Interest and Other Charges</b>			
Payments of principal of debt	1,000.00		
Payments of interest on debt	90.00		
Total payments for all purposes	\$ 2,670.79	\$ 4,036.21	\$12,174.33
Total cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1939)	\$ 576.04		
Grand total	\$19,457.37		

## BALANCE SHEET

### Assets, June 30, 1939

Cash on hand:		
Balance, June 30, 1939	\$	576.04
From others:		
Ellsworth school district, elementary tuition		164.00
Total assets	\$	740.04
Net debt	\$	759.96
Grand total	\$	1,500.00

### Liabilities, June 30, 1939

<b>Bonds Outstanding</b>	
Construction bonds	\$ 1,500.00
Total liabilities	\$ 1,500.00
Grand total	\$ 1,500.00

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### Auditors' Certificate

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Campton, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1939, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

ELLIS S. FREETHEY,  
ROLAND J. DOLE,

July 13, 1939.

Auditors.

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### DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

<b>Salaries of District Officers</b>	
Lavinia E. Dole	\$ 50.00
Bertha S. Pulsifer	50.00
George K. Thompson	50.00
Lucy E. Cook	50.00
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	\$ 200.00
<b>Superintendent's excess salary</b>	
Allan M. McCurdy	319.50
<b>Truant officer and school census</b>	
George K. Thompson	25.00
<b>Expenses of Administration</b>	
Gledhill Bros.	6.85
Lucy E. Cook	12.01
The Record Print	55.85
Pemigewasset National Bank	3.30



Lyone E. Stuart	2.00
Edson C. Eastman	1.90
Bertha S. Pulsifer	.95
Allan M. McCurdy	16.06
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	\$ 98.92
<b>Instruction</b>	
Edith L. Messer	\$ 900.00
Pauline Spitzner	925.00
Eleanor Stimson	900.00
Doris Stimson	900.00
Marion Cotton	851.35
Eleanor Rock	875.00
Maude A. Gray	827.03
Carrie Smith	850.00
Elizabeth Merrill	850.00
Clara Ouellet	25.00
Gladys Heal	23.65
Laura E. Pulsifer	22.97
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	\$ 7,950.00
Text books	\$ 107.30
Scholars' supplies	\$ 309.42
Flags and appurtenances	\$ 3.10
Other expenses of instruction	\$ 48.84
<b>Operation and Maintenance of School Plant</b>	
Janitor Service	
John Saunders	\$ 277.50
Malcolm McCloud	277.50
Earline Moulton	37.00
Leonidas Mitchell	37.00
Daniel Berg	37.00
Richard Palmer	37.00
Chester Avery	30.00
Eleanor Rock	7.00
Harold Avery	9.00
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	\$ 749.00
<b>Fuel</b>	
George E. Pulsifer	\$ 5.00
Lester E. Mitchell	5.00

Harold Avery	22.50
Fred G. Hill	24.00
E. L. Heal	27.00
Joseph Hodgson	136.00
John M. Pulsifer	127.50
W. C. and F. E. Pulsifer	76.50

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\$ 423.50

#### **Water, Light and Janitors' Supplies**

Public Service Co., of N. H.	\$ 17.80
Draper Corporation	37.56
White Mountain Power Co.	78.30
W. B. Avery	9.35
Edward Babb & Co.	7.89
L. R. Morrison	10.43
W. E. Wishman	2.15

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\$ 163.48

#### **Minor Repairs and Expenses**

James Cannon, labor	\$ 1.75
Keith Thompson, labor	25.60
Melvin Green, labor	58.20
Robert Parker, labor	32.60
Percy Still, labor	58.29
Lewis Marden, labor	18.00
Leon Stuart, labor	28.70
Howard Potter, labor	3.20
Everett L. Marden, labor	32.40
Rodney Nichols, labor	20.20
Howard Saulnier, labor	44.00
Arthur Chase, labor	1.67
George K. Thompson, labor	35.00
Sterle Cheney, labor	60.00
Karl Jackson, labor	7.50
Irving O. Sanborn, labor	28.00
R. A. Saunders	12.00
Lewis Evans, labor	76.00
John Superchi, labor	48.00
Roland Dole, carrying supplies	1.50
Harold Avery, carrying supplies	3.00
William Houston, supplies	3.00
Grace Edgell, cleaning	15.60

Lester E. Mitchell, supplies for repairs	9.70
Gammons Co., supplies for repairs	9.24
Lester M. Avery, supplies for repairs	132.24
A. M. Rand, supplies for repairs	3.26
W. B. Avery, supplies for repairs	91.94
Elmer Huckins, supplies for repairs	14.95
Ralph Miles, supplies for repairs	5.10
Roy Lyford, supplies for repairs	19.42
Treasurer of N. H., supplies for repairs	49.30
Roland Peabody	22.92
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	\$ 972.28
<b>Medical Inspection</b>	
Anna Lovett, school nurse	\$ 285.69
H. A. Cheney, M. D., examining physician	94.50
Dr. DeWitt, medical aid	1.50
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	\$ 381.69
<b>Transportation</b>	
Minot T. Miclon	\$ 666.00
Gloria Giverson	210.60
Lester Plant	180.00
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	\$ 1,056.60
<b>High School and Academy Tuition</b>	
Plymouth School District	\$ 3,883.95
New Hampton School for Boys	96.00
Franconia School District	56.26
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	\$ 4,036.21
<b>Other Special Activities</b>	
	\$ 9.12
<b>Insurance</b>	
	\$ 253.00
<b>Per Capita Tax</b>	
	\$ 522.00
<b>Alterations of Old Buildings</b>	
	\$ 13.87

**New Equipment**

A. M. Rand, water jug and bubbler	\$ 7.00
J. L. Hammett, seats	140.50
Calvin Russell, hauling seats	1.00
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	\$ 148.50

**Payments on Principal and Debt**

Willard C. Pulsifer	\$ 200.00
John M. Pulsifer	300.00
Clara J. Pulsifer	200.00
Kate T. Simpson	100.00
Margaret Little	100.00
Stephen Colpitts	100.00
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	\$ 1,000.00

**Payments of Interest on Debt**

	\$ 90.00
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Total payments	\$18,881.33
Cash on hand at end of year	
June 30, 1939	\$ 576.04
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Grand total	\$19,457.37

## SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1940-1941

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1940.

### Detailed Statement of Expenditures

#### \* Support of Schools

	Elementary
Teachers' salaries	\$ 8,125.00
Text books	200.00
Scholars' supplies	300.00
Flags and appurtenances	15.00
Other expenses of instruction	250.00
Janitor service	740.00
Fuel	500.00
Water, light, janitors' supplies	335.00
Minor repairs and expenses	250.00
Health supervision (medical inspection)	500.00
Transportation of pupils	1,475.00
Other special activities	10.00
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	\$12,700.00

#### Other Statutory Requirements

Salaries of district officers (fixed by district)	\$ 210.00
Truant officer and school census (fixed by district)	25.00
Payment of tuition in high schools and academies (estimated by board)	4,000.00
Superintendent's excess salary (fixed by supervisory union)	340.00
Per capita tax (report of state treasurer)	524.00
Payment of district debt	500.00
Interest on district debt	22.50
Other obligations	100.00
New equipment	200.50
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	\$ 5,922.00

Total amount required to meet school board's budget	<hr/>
	\$18,622.00

### Estimated Income of District

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State aid (December 1940 allotment)	
(estimated)	\$ 1,872.00
Dog tax (estimate)	175.00
Elementary school tuition receipts (estimate)	190.00
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	\$ 2,237.00
Assessment required to balance school	
board's budget	\$16,385.00
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Total assessment required to cover	
budget and appropriations	\$16,385.00

BERTHA S. PULSIFER,  
GEORGE K. THOMPSON,  
LAVINIA E. DOLE,

School Board.

Campton, N. H., February 12, 1940.

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\* \$3.50 per \$1,000 of **taxable inventory** is minimum required by law in addition to per capita tax and salaries of district officers.

|| \$5.00 per \$1,000 of **equalized valuation** must be raised for **elementary schools** to qualify for state aid. The net assessment must contain this amount in addition to funds raised for high school maintenance and other statutory requirements.

# TREASURER'S REPORT

## In Account With Campton School District

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### Debit

1938		
July 1	Cash on hand	\$ 1,330.47
	Cash for schools from town	15,128.00
	Cash received from state, state aid	2,233.95
	Cash received from dog tax	156.30
	Cash received from all other sources	608.65
		<hr/> \$18,126.90
		<hr/> \$19,457.37

### Credit

June '38		
to		
July 1 '39	Paid school board orders	\$18,881.33
1939		
June 30	Balance on hand	576.04
		<hr/> \$19,457.37

LUCY E. COOK,  
Treasurer.

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Having examined the foregoing account, we find it correct and properly cast.

ELLIS S. FREETHEY,  
ROLAND J. DOLE,

July 13, 1939 Auditors.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

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To Campton School Board:

Following is the report of the school nurse from September 1938 to July 1939.

The children were examined by Dr. Harry Cheney, at the beginning of the school year with the following defects recorded.

Children examined	197
Dental defects	85
Tonsils, enlarged or diseased	14
Enlarged glands	2
Vision defects	9
Anaemia	1
Orthopedic	1
Defective speech	1

These cases were followed up by the school nurse and the following corrections obtained:

Dental	50
Tonsil operations	12
Vision	11

The children were weighed four times during the year and special attention given the underweight and poorly nourished. The State gave some cod liver oil and some of the children attended the chest clinics at Plymouth given by the New Hampshire Tuberculosis Association. 34 children were treated at the dental clinics at Plymouth at which special rates were given. Four pairs of glasses were obtained through the State Conservation of Sight.

Eight children had their tonsils removed at the tonsil clinics at the Memorial Hospital. The Campton Red Cross and the State Mothers' Aid helped on 5 of these.

95 school calls, 165 home calls and 41 business calls were made by the nurse in connection with the work.



Health is daily being stressed in the schools by the teachers and nurse with the objective of helping the children to form good health habits.

At the beginning of the school year 1939 the children were again examined by Dr. Cheney with these findings recorded:

Children examined	198
Dental defects	69
Tonsils, enlarged or diseased	15
Vision	13
Enlarged glands	6
Orthopedic	1

The follow-up work is again in progress with these corrections reported by children to date:

Dental	55
Tonsil operations	4
Vision	7

The parents, teachers and agencies have been most cooperative, for which we are very grateful.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNA M. LOVETT, R. N.,  
School Nurse.

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the Campton School District:

I hereby submit my sixth annual report as Superintendent of Schools. The statistical tables for the year 1938-1939 follow this report.

Since my last report 3 changes have occurred in the teaching staff of the district. Pauline Spitzner, Eleanor Rock and Doris Stimson are all teaching in other districts in the state.

Theodore Marsden was appointed teacher at the village grammar school, Grace M. Pratt at the West Road school and Clara S. Ouellet at West Campton. The two latter schools have been wired for electricity and thereby greatly improved.

The West Road school has an enrollment of approximately 12 pupils of whom 4 are from Ellsworth. The West Campton school carries an enrollment of about 23 pupils, a few being transported from the vicinity of the station, to relieve the congestion at the Village. With a combined total of 35 pupils it would seem reasonable to anticipate full state aid for the present on those two schools. The Holderness school district withdrew its pupils from the Livermore Falls school reducing the membership of that school to 13 pupils. Transportation of those children to Beebe River would follow more closely state aid approval for the schools on this side of the river. The district voted not to construct a two-room building at West Campton. During the summer the West Campton school was shingled and put in good condition. The changes in the highway shortened the front yard and a fence should be installed around the school grounds. The area of playground is not very large.

The schools of the district are motivating well in my opinion. The teaching staff is efficient and seems to be giving satisfaction in general throughout the district. A percentage of attendance of over 95% is highly commendable showing a keen interest on the

part of children and parents alike. Regular attendance to duty is an important asset in successful life. The Beebe River grammar room had the highest percentage of attendance.

All the teachers have been provided with the revised recommendations and instructions of the State Board of Health relative to contagious diseases in schools. They are following the above with the school board and health officer. Parents appear to be very cooperative in keeping children of contagious diseases at home and are sending them to school when contagion has ceased.

The district's indebtedness is now \$ 500.00 and will be liquidated this coming year. The amount asked by the Board for the coming year is \$ 531.50 more than last year. The amount of state aid for next year is not available at this writing and is conservatively estimated at \$1,872.00, but it is not unlikely that it will be a little more. The Board is financing the unanticipated transportation to West Campton out of current funds and this taken together with reductions of Elementary school tuitions absorbs for the most part the usual balance expected at the end of the year.

Recent legislation requires districts to furnish some education to children physically unable to function as normal, healthy children. In some instances this takes the form of transportation and others to at least two hours a week education in the home. Our instructions are to carry the expenditures of educating physically handicapped children under the account of "Other Expenses of Instruction" and this has been taken care of in the Budget. It is the opinion of the writer that as legislation requires this additional instruction, the same legislation should furnish increased state aid to finance it.

Respectfully submitted,

ALLAN M. McCURDY,

Superintendent of Schools.

February 13, 1940.

## Campton School District 1938-1939

School and Teacher	Total Enrollment	Average Membership	Per Cent Attendance	Superintendent's Visits	School Board's Visits
Beebe River Grammar Mrs. Edith L. Messer	20	17.34	97.69	18	0
Campton Center Elizabeth Merrill	22	18.65	96.56	17	0
Beebe River Primary Eleanor Stimson	27	23.28	96.43	17	0
Village Primary Marion Cotton	31	28.01	96.03	20	10
Livermore Falls Maude A. Gray	17	16.12	95.96	13	0
Village Grammar Pauline Spitzner	42	40.37	95.19	22	8
Blair School Carrie Smith	20	19.19	94.39	14	2
Branch School Doris Stimson	24	16.18	94.06	18	0
West Road Eleanor B. Rock	15	13.49	88.13	15	0
Totals	218	193.54	95.37	154	20
Less 5 in 2 schools	5				
Grand total	213	193.54	95.37	154	20

## Graduates of Campton Grammar School, 1938-1939

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Christine Avery	Ronald Avery
Danny Berg	Irene Berg
Clare Boyle	Donald Caldon
Edward Downing	Virginia Harriman
Karl Jackson, Jr.	Edith Morrison
Arlene Moulton	Earline Moulton
Geraldine Moulton	Marguerite Moulton
Irene Nelson	Grace Noseworthy
Marguerite O'Brien	Marjorie O'Hearn
Elsie Palmer	Richard Palmer
Allan Porter	Shirley Romprey
Irwin Saulnier	Earl Westover

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## Enrollment by Grades

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Grade	Boys	Girls	Total
8	10	13	23
7	11	14	25
6	15	15	30
5	11	18	29
4	10	9	19
3	20	16	36
2	15	8	23
1	22	11	33
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Totals	114	104	218
		Less 5 in 2 schools	5
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Grand total			213

16 of the above were non-resident















